

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: James L. Eichler, Jr., et al.  
Serial No.: 09/773,850  
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Group Art Unit: 2111  
Examiner: Thomas J. Cleary  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING OPEN PERIPHERAL COMPONENT INTERCONNECT (PCI) SLOTS

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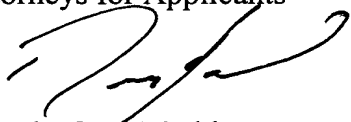
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